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6	IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
7	FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
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9	CALIFORNIA PIPE RECYCLING, INC.	CASE NO. CV F 08-0236 LJO SMS
10	Plaintiff,	ORDER TO SET SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE
11	VS.	Date: March 23, 2009
12	SOUTHWEST HOLDINGS, INC., et al.,	Time: 10 a.m. Before:
13	Defendants.	U.S. Magistrate Judge Stephen Smith Southern District of Texas
14	Designation.	Houston, Texas 77002
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16	This Court conducted a January 15, 2009 status conference. Plaintiff California Pipe Recycling	
17	Inc. ("Cal Pipe") appeared by telephone by counsel Kerry P. Zeiler, Ko & Zeiler. Defendants Joseph	
18	Briers, Southwest Pipe Services, Inc. and S.W. Pipe Holdings, Inc. (collectively the "Briers defendants"	
19	appeared by telephone by counsel Jason Powers, Powers & Slay. Defendant Robbye Waldon ("Mr	
20	Waldon"), trustee of Joseph Briers' discharged chapter 7 bankruptcy, appeared by David Jones, Porter	
21	& Hedges. At the conference, the parties agreed to participate in a settlement conference to be	
22	conducted by a U.S. Magistrate Judge of the Southern District of Texas in light of bifurcation of Ca	
23	Pipe's interpleader claim and anticipated remand to Texas state court of the Briers defendants	
24	counterclaim against Cal Pipe.	
25	As such, this Court ORDERS the parties to:	
26	1. PARTICIPATE in a settlement conference before U.S. Magistrate Judge Stephen Smit	
27	on March 23, 2009 at 10 a.m. in the Southern District of Texas, Houston, Texas 77002	
28	and	
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1	 SUBMIT settlement conference statements pursuant to U.S. Magistrate Judge Smith's 	
2	requirements. The parties may reach U.S. Magistrate Judge Smith's chambers at (713	
3	250-5100 for information on settlement conference statements.	
4	IT IS SO ORDERED.	
5	Dated: January 29, 2009 /s/ Lawrence J. O'Neill UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE	
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